

Caledonian Mercury

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EDINBURGH, PRINTED BY ROBERT ALLAN, SATURDAY, JANUARY 19, 1799.

PRICE SIXPENCE.

Theatre-Royal.

The Theatre Royal will Open this Evening, SATURDAY, January 19, With the Celebrated Comedy of **THE STRANGER.**
The Stranger, Mr. SIDMONS.
Being his first appearance here these two years.
Baron Steinfort, Mr. BEW.
Mr. Solomon, Mr. WILDE.
From the Theatre Royal, Windsor, being his first appearance on this Stage.
Francis, Mr. BLAND.
Peter, Mr. SCRIVEN.
Tobias, Mr. COOKE.
Count Winter, Mr. SMITH.
From the Theatre Royal, Bath, being his first appearance on this Stage.
Countess of Winter, Miss KEMBLE.
Charlotte, Miss SMITH.
From the Theatre Royal, Bath, being his first appearance on this Stage.
Annette, Miss F. KEMBLE.
Cavoyard, Mrs. BRAMWELL.
Maids, Mrs. BEW & Mrs. BLAND.
And Mrs. Haller, Mrs. KEMBLE.
The EPILOGUE by Miss FISHER, from the Theatre Royal, Manchester, being her first appearance on this Stage.
In Act IV, a favourite Pastoral Air—Miss F. KEMBLE.
And a Duett, by Miss F. KEMBLE & Mrs. BRAMWELL.
Also, THE ORIGINAL PASTORAL DANCE.
To which will be added, a Farce, called **A TRIP TO SCOTLAND,**
or, **CUPID TURN'D POSTILION.**
Cupid, Miss FISHER.
Jenny Twinkle, Mr. BEW—Chamberlain, Mr. BLAND.
Griffin, Mr. SCRIVEN.
Fillagree, Miss BIGGS—Betty, Mrs. BLAND.
Miss Griffin, Mrs. KNIGHT.
From the Theatre Royal, Covent Garden.
LOVERS VOWS, LAUGH WHEN YOU CAN, THE JEW AND THE DOCTOR, BLUE DEVIL,—and in short all the New Pieces, will be brought forward in due time.
Boxes, 3s.—First Gallery, 2s.—Second Gallery, 1s.
Tickets and Places for the Boxes, &c. to be had at the Box Office of the Theatre.

SUPPLEMENT TO THE ENCYCLOPEDIA BRITANNICA, IN TWO VOLUMES QUARTO.
(Dedicated by Permission to the King.)
On the First of February will be Published, price 12s. 6d. in boards.
VOLUME I. PART I. OF **A SUPPLEMENT TO THE ENCYCLOPEDIA BRITANNICA;**
Conducted by
GEORGE GLEIG, L.L.D. AND F.R.S. EDINBURGH.
The Editor of the last Six Vols. of that Work.
Subscribers to the Encyclopædia Britannica will be supplied with the Supplement by their own Booksellers; and the Trade will be pleased to apply to Thomson Bonar, Parliament Square, Edinburgh, or to Mr. George Nicol, Bookseller to his Majesty, London.

LAW BOOKS.
There will begin to be Sold, upon Wednesday 23d. inst. at 12 o'clock noon, and the three following evenings of the week, at six o'clock, in Ross's Sale Room, second stair above the Town Church, south side of the High Street, a **CAPITAL COLLECTION OF SCOTS LAW, CLASSICS, AND MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS,** the property of a Gentleman of the Law, deceased.
Amongst which are,
Fountainhall's Decisions, 2 vols.
Bankton's Institutions, 3 vols.
Encyclopædia Britannica, 18 vols.
Baskerville's Classics, 5 vols.
Scots Acts of Parliament, 3 vols. &c. &c. &c.
As seldom such a Collection of Books appear in auctions, Gentlemen will find their advantage to attend, as the whole must be sold to the highest bidder, and put up at the pleasure of the company.
Catalogues to be had at the shop of R. Ross, Bookseller, Lawnmarket, to whom orders may be addressed by such Gentlemen as cannot attend, which will be punctually obeyed.
R. ROSS, Auctioneer.
Edin. January 19, 1799.

CONTRACTORS WANTED.
For PAVING THE STREETS OF THE CITY OF EDINBURGH, AND REPAIRING THE STREETS ALREADY PAVED.
THOSE who are willing to Contract for Paving the Streets of the City of Edinburgh, and Repairing the Streets already Paved, both of the Ancient and Extended Royalty, for such number of years as shall be agreed upon, are desired to give in their proposals and estimates of the expence, betwixt and the 20th day of February 1799, to the City Chamberlain, at his office.
They are to specify, in their proposals, from what Quarries the Stones are to be taken; the size and shape of the Stones, both dressed and rubble, and the depth of the body of sand in which they are to be laid. The estimates are to include the expence of levelling the ground for new pavement, both dressed and rubble, laying and ramming the same, carting the stones and sand, and every other expence for completing the cause in either way; as also, the expence of Repairing the Streets already Paved, and of the New Stones and Sand that may be necessary for that purpose.
The Contractors must find sufficient security to the satisfaction of the Town Council, for implementing their part of the contract.
They shall have liberty to quarry stones from the City's Quarry at Bell's Mills; the stones so quarried being applied to no other use but the paving the street of the city, and the refuse, which is not fit for cause stones, is to be the property of the City, for Mending and Repairing the Roads to Leith, &c. They are also to have liberty to take the Sand from the City's Pit at the Gallowlee, for the use of the Town's works only.
Upon application to the City's Chamberlain, he will give information as to any further particulars they desire to know.

GREY'S TOOTHACHE LOZENGE.
The extraordinary Effect of this Lozenge, in the cure of the Toothache, is unparalleled; to the greatest certainty, in a few minutes, it cures that excruciating pain, be it ever so violent; and whilst the Proprietor, a Medical Gentleman of eminence in his profession, assures the Public of its infallible efficacy, he also declares, that it contains no particle of opium, no acrid, heating, or irritating ingredient, but that it is as innocent in its composition as it is certain and infallible in its effect. It contains confists in producing from the tooth or teeth affected a plentiful flow of watery humour, by which the pain and inflammation of the nerve of the tooth is immediately cured.
Sold in boxes containing six Lozenges, at 9d. at Ward's, 324, Holborn, London; by J. BAXTER, Italian Warehouse, Edinburgh; and, as early as a connexion of such extent can be formed by all Venders of Patent Medicines in Town and Country.
To be Sold, on Thursday the 24th January current, within John's Coffeehouse, between the hours of five and six afternoon.
AN ADJUDICATION, the accumulate sum amounting to 460l. extending over that Shop, three Cellars, Yard, and Back ground, lying on the north side of the Canonate, opposite to the Linen Hall, as presently possessed by Alexander Mitchell, baker, and others, at the yearly rent of 23l.—The upset price 250l.
For particulars apply to Hamilton Bell, writer to the signet, in whose hands may be seen the articles of sale.

NEW PANTOMIME.

AND MR. ROBINSON'S EXTRAORDINARY PERFORMANCES.

Royal Circus,

HEAD OF LEITH WALK, EDINBURGH.

This present Saturday, January 19, 1799.

Will be presented, first time,

A New MILITARY DIVERTISSEMENT, consisting of Song,

Dance, and Chorus, called

THE ENCAMPMENT,

OR,

SOLDIER'S FESTIVAL.

A Variety of

NEW EQUESTRIAN EXERCISES;

After which the popular Grand Spectacle of

BLACK-BEARD,

OR,

THE CAPTIVE PRINCESS.

For the first time in this kingdom, the celebrated Mr. ROBINSON (for a few Nights) will make his first appearance in that singular Performance called

THE ANTIPODEAN WHIRLIGIG.

Consisting of a variety of nouvelle and uncommon Feats of Agility, never attempted by any other person.

To which will be added,

Never performed in this kingdom,

An entire New COMIC PANTOMIME, with new Music, Scenery, Machinery, Dresses, and Decorations, called

NIOBE, OR, HARLEQUIN'S ORDEAL.

Tickets to be had at Mr. Walker's, (Poole's Hotel) and of Mrs. Adams, at the Box-office, Leith Walk, where places for the Boxes may be taken.

Doors to open at Six o'clock, and to begin precisely at half past Six.

Box, 3s.—Pit, 2s.—Gallery, 1s.

MUNDELL'S SCHOLARS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE GENTLEMEN educated at the late Mr. Mundell's School, is to be this year in Hunter's, Writer's Court, on Saturday the 26th inst. Dinner on the table at four o'clock.

MASONRY.

THE Most Worshipful the GRAND MASTER having signified his intention of visiting ST DAVID'S LODGE next Tuesday, the 22d instant, the Members thereof are requested to meet, precisely at seven o'clock, in the Old Assembly Room, adjoining to Mr. Reid's Tavern, where the Lodge will be held that evening, for the better accommodation of visiting Brethren.

St David's Lodge, 3 Jan. 19, 1799.

The present English State-Lottery contains only 50,000 Tickets, and not Two Blanks to a prize, which renders the Scheme very beneficial to Purchasers, because, in this Lottery, should they only obtain a small prize of 20l. the advantage arising will be Six Guineas.

Money for the Prize paid on demand, whether a 20l. or a 20,000l.

ENGLISH STATE-LOTTERY—1798.

Begins Drawing on Monday the 11th February next, 1799.

THE TICKETS.

Are now Selling, in great Variety of Numbers, and on the lowest terms, by

HORNBY & CO. STOCK-BROKERS

At their old established STATE-LOTTERY OFFICE, (Licensed pursuant to Act of Parliament.)

No. 26. CORNHILL, LONDON;

Opposite the Royal Exchange, London;

Also at

Mess. Trewhman and Son's Exeter;

And at Mr. Thomas Billings, Liverpool.

Correct Numerical and Register Books are kept, and Tickets and Shares are registered at Sixpence per Number.

Orders accompanied with good bills, payable at sight, or of short date, will be punctually attended to.

Letters, post paid, duly answered, and Schemes gratis.

All Shares sold at this Office will be stamped, agreeable to Act of Parliament, with the words "State-Lottery Stamp-Office."

Bank, India, and South-sea, Stocks, with their several Annuities, and all kinds of Government Securities, bought and sold by Commission.

STATE-LOTTERY OFFICES, No. 4, CORNHILL, LONDON,

And at

J. THOMSON'S, MANCHESTER.

T BISH most respectfully acquaints the Public, that TICKETS and SHARES for the ensuing ENGLISH LOTTERY are selling in great variety, at his old-established Office, as above, which for many years have been remarkably fortunate in selling Capital Prizes, too numerous for insertion.

PLEASE TO OBSERVE.

The English Scheme this year consists of 376 MORE PRIZES, and 3370 LESS BLANKS, than last year; the lowest Prize is 20l. (instead of 16l.) and not Two Blanks to a Prize.

The Drawing begins the 11th of next month.

Correspondents remitting Bank-Notes, Post-Office Orders, or Cash, may have Tickets and Shares sent them, and their Orders complied with, the same as if personally present.

Letters (if post-paid) duly answered; and all kinds of Government Securities bought and sold by Commission.

TO BE LET UPON LEASE.

And entered to at Whitsunday next,

THAT well-frequented INN, the BEEHIVE, in the Grassmarket, formerly possessed by John Campbell (the Red Lion) 15 years, and for sometime by Thomas Menclawa.

The house is large and commodious, and with many other conveniences, has the advantage of a large Warehouse for Carriers goods, of very easy access.

The stables are also excellent, and will contain a number of horses.

A large Loft adjoining is also to be let, the size one hundred by twenty-one feet.

Apply to Mrs. Spottiswood, Grassmarket.

INN TO LET.

To be LET and entered to at Whitsunday first,

THAT well-frequented INN at LUSS, situated on the Banks of Lochmond, upon the King's high road from Dumbar-ton to Inverary, with the Ground that follows the same. It is unnecessary to describe the premises more fully, as they are so well known.

None need apply but those who can bring proper certificates of their abilities both to furnish the house properly, and to keep it in such order as to give satisfaction to the public.

For further particulars apply to Sir James Colquhoun of Luss, Bart. Edinburgh, or to Lieut-Col. Colquhoun, Roscoe House, by Dumbar-ton.

N. B.—A large addition was made to the house within these two years, and stabling for about twenty horses.

QUEENSFERRY PASSAGE BOATS TO BE LET.

To be Let for one year, or for three years, as shall be agreed on, from the term of Whitsunday first, 1799.

THE FOUR BOATS on the passage between the South and North Queensferry, with their Yawls and Furniture.

Persons inclining to become tacksmen may give in their proposals in writing, sealed up, either to John Dundas, W. S. Edinburgh; or Captain James Taylor, Queensferry, on or before the 8th of February next.

The persons proposing to become tacksmen, will please mention in their offers what rent they will give for a lease for one year, and what rent for a lease for three years.

The Proprietors of the Boats meet at Newhall, on the 9th February next, when the offers made are to be considered of.

Queensferry, 18th Jan. 1799.

GOLDEN FAN.

HABERDASHERY & LINEN DRAPERY.

S MITH AND ROSS have the honour to acquaint their Friends and the Public, that in addition to their former stock they have just received a fresh supply of India Muslins, Silk and Worsted Shawls in great variety, black Modes and Laces, Irish Linens and French Cambrics, with every other article in the Linen-Drapery line, all of which will be sold on moderate terms.

S. & R. return their grateful thanks for past favours. Millinery work in the newest style.

Great bargains to Country Dealers for ready money only.—Commissioners from the Country answered with dispatch.

West Side, South Bridge-Street, 3

Edinburgh 19. Jan. 1799.

BRITISH STATE-LOTTERY, ANNO 1798.

For First Hundred Thousand Pounds.

Begins drawing on Monday the 11th February 1799; And not Two Blanks to a PRIZE.

No. of prizes. Value each. Total value.

1 of L. 20,000 is L. 20,000

4 — 10,000 — 40,000

5 — 5,000 — 25,000

5 — 2,000 — 10,000

25 — 1,000 — 25,000

30 — 500 — 15,000

30 — 200 — 6,000

30 — 100 — 3,000

16,900 — 20 — 338,000

17,072 Prizes. L. 498,500

First drawn Blank on the First Day, — 1,000

First drawn Blank on the Last Morning, — 500

32,928 Blanks.

50,000 Tickets, L. 500,000

THE TICKETS ARE SOLD AND DIVIDED INTO

Half, Fourth, Eighth and Sixteenth SHARES.

JOHN WHITE AND COMPANY,

At their STATE-LOTTERY OFFICE,

Licensed by Government, opposite to the Town Church, EDINBURGH.

Where No. 19,821, the First Drawn Ticket

In the last BRITISH LOTTERY, entitled to

ONE THOUSAND POUNDS,

WAS SOLD.

In One Fourth, Two Eighth, and Eight Sixteenth AND IN FORMER LOTTERIES

Two of L. 5000. Seven of L. 1000.

Three of 2000. Nine of 500.

All Shares sold at this Office are stamped and secured agreeable to Act of Parliament.—Those drawn PRIZES will be paid at Current Value so soon as drawn, or in August 1799 without deduction.

Commissions with Cash, or Bills at a short Date, executed on the same Terms as if personally present.—Schemes gratis.—Letters (post paid) duly answered.

KELTIE, PERFUMER.

No. 15. South St Andrew's Street, New Town.

TAKES this opportunity to express his acknowledgments to the Nobility and Gentry, for the share of favour which he has enjoyed during so many years; and has the honour to acquaint them and the Public, that in the prospect of removing to an elegant New Shop, which he proposes to open with on Monday the 21st instant to dispose of his present Extensive Stock, at and some Articles below Prime Cost.

A Sale of this description—and extent—being novel in this City, Ladies and Gentlemen will of course avail themselves of the opportunity to purchase; and persons in the country may, by letter, be supplied on the same Liberal Terms as if personally present.

The following are a few of the Articles recommended to the Public, viz.

A quantity of superfine perfumed and plain Hair Powders; Pomatums in pots and rolls, strongly scented and clarified; Genuine Oils, Essences, and perfumed Waters, in phials, or by weight;

Patent and purified Soaps, and perfumed Soap Balls, in great variety;

The most fashionable Dentifrices, Tinctures, and Opiates, with the Brushes recommended by the respective Dentists;

Dressing Cases, Roll-up-Pouches, Shaving Cases, and Powder Boxes;

Genuine Arquebuses, Eau de Carmes, and Sanative Swiss Tea, from Lausanne;

Henry's Aromatic Vinegar, Salt of Lemons, Bayley's Blackening Cakes;

Swan-down and Silk Puffs Combs, Brushes, Razors, Straps and Hones;

Smelling-bottles, and Vinegrates, Pocket Books, Thread Cases, Fruit Knives, and Purses;

Wax and Spermaceti Candles, Tapers, and Taper Stands;

Trays, Waiters, Tea Caddies, &c. of Papier Mache;

Ladies and Gentlemen's Gloves, and Glove Tops, Walking Canes, Umbrellas, &c.

A neat selection of Jewellery, Hardware, Gentel Trinkets, a Complete Assortment of the most approved Patent Medicines; and, in general, every article which may be expected to be found at a Fashionable Perfumer's, of which, (though difficult to enumerate in an advertisement), printed bills may be had at the Shop.

The Sale to continue till all is Sold, as nothing of the present Stock will be removed to the New Shop, the opening of which will be intimated by advertisement.

N. B. The Shop to Let, enquire as above at John Keltie the proprietor.

Edinburgh, January 17 1799.

MEETING OF DISTILLERS.

THE whole LICENSED DISTILLERS in the Lowlands of Scotland, are requested to meet at Falkirk, in the house of Mr. Dearn, vintner, upon Saturday the 26th of January current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, upon business of importance.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IT is requested that all persons having claims against the deceased Mr. FRANCIS STRACHAN, writer to the signet, will attend a Meeting of his Creditors, to be held in Hunter's Tavern, Writer's Court, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 30th inst. at two o'clock afternoon, when a state of his affairs will be laid before them, and any creditors wishing for previous information may see the State in the hands of Mr. Hugh Bremner, accountant in Edinburgh. If any person has neglected to give in their claims, it is again requested that they do so before the said Meeting, either to the said Mr. Bremner, or to Robert Cameron, writer in Edinburgh.

Edinburgh, Jan. 17, 1799.

FARMS IN EAST LOTHIAN.

To SET for 19 years from Whitsunday and the separation of crop 1799.

THE FARM of SEGGERSDIAN, containing about 150 Scots acres, all inclosed and subdivided. The most distant part of it is little more than a mile from the town of Haddington, where a considerable quantity of dung may be got.—The farm is at present in high order.—Also,

THE FARM of EAST MAINS OF COALSTOUN, containing about 170 acres, all inclosed and subdivided with hedge and ditch. It is generally in good condition, and also lies little more than a mile from the town of Haddington.

If offerers incline, the adjoining Farm of Brownshill may be set along with the last farm—it contains above 400 acres of woodlands and pasture, and for these several years by-past has been chiefly used as a pasture farm.

Offers to be given to Mr. Brown of Coalstoun, between and the 20th of February, which will be concealed if desired—and Thomas Samuel, overcraer at Seggersdean, will shew the lands.

ON SALE.

A MERICAN POT ASHES, first sort.

Do. PEARL Do. first, second, and third sort.

PALM OIL, and a Parcel French Yellow ROBIN.

APPLY TO

WILLIAM ALLAN, Leith.

NEW TEAS.

DEALERS can be supplied with Congo and Bohea Tea, on equal terms as from the London Grocers, by applying to

WALTER BROWN, opposite the Back Stairs, Cowgate.—Families may also be supplied at his shop. Heron's Land, Cowgate, with genuine Congo Tea, which he is confident must upon trial give satisfaction.

MUSLIN DRESSES, &c.

GILCHRIST & CO. respectfully acquaint the LADIES, That they have just got to hand, from the last India Sale, which are newly closed, a large Assortment of MULLS, JACONETS, and LONG CLOTHS, &c. which, with a vast variety of British CAMBRIC MUSLINS, JAPANS, and LAP-PETS, of the most elegant patterns, form the most complete selection of Muslins proper for Dresses they have had in their power to exhibit.

Have also got to hand this week,

A quantity of Black and White LACES, from one Shilling to two Guineas per yard, of a very superior quality, and considerably lower in price than they have seen for some years past.

Corner of Blair Street, High Street, 3

January 16, 1799.

STRAVED.

From Rachau, Peshawar, on the 24. inst.

A LIGHT BROWN GREYHOUND BITCH, shag hair'd, with large white marks on her, answering to the name of FLY. Whoever will return her, or give such information as she may be recovered, to Mr. Loch of Rachau, by Noblehouse, or Mr. Linton, Clouan, will be handsomely rewarded.

January 19, 1799.

AT LEITH—FOR LONDON.

The Union Shipping Company's Armed Smack,

KELSO PACKET,

ROBERT MOOR MASTER,

AND

EDINBURGH & BERWICK PACKET,

WILLIAM COOPER MASTER.

Will take in goods—the Kelso till Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock,—and the Edinburgh and Berwick till Friday evening, at 5 o'clock, when they will sail.

Union Shipping Co's Office, Leith, 3

January 19, 1799.

FOR HAMBURG.

And to return direct to Leith,

(A Constant Trader)

THE HAMBURG PACKET,

J. ANDERSON MASTER.

HAS a great part of her cargo on board, and will positively leave this with the very first convoy, supposed to sail about the latter end of January. Has good accommodation for passengers. Apply to

JOHN SCOUALL & SON.

Leith, 28th Dec. 1798.

FOR NEW YORK.

WAR OFFICE—Dahlin Castle, Dec. 17.

His Majesty has been pleased to make the following promotions in the army, &c. on this establishment, and the commissions, dated the 10th of November 1798, except otherwise mentioned, are come over accordingly, viz.

Royal Irish Regiment of Artillery.
Captain-Lieutenant Luke Gardiner Tomkins to be Captain, vice H. Armstrong, deceased. First Lieutenant Peter Warburton to be Captain-Lieutenant. Second Lieutenant Mark Rowe to be First Lieutenant. Arthur Hunt to be Second Lieutenant.

4th Regiment of Dragoon Guards—William Talbot to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Boyd, appointed Paymaster to said regiment.

24th Regiment of Light Dragoons—Assistant-Surgeon Geo. Lander to be Veterinary Surgeon. Dated September 29, 1798.

6th Regiment of Foot—Thomas O'Reilly to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Chaloner, promoted.

41st Ditto—Captain-Lieutenant James Ormsby to be Captain, by purchase, vice Grant, promoted. Lieutenant Richard O'Farrell to be Captain-Lieutenant. John Colthurst to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Cholwich, promoted.

89th Ditto—James Arthur Rice to be Ensign, by purchase, vice R. S. Rice, resigned. James Tynte King to be Ensign, by purchase vice Rogers, resigned.

WAR OFFICE—Dec. 25, 1798.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards—Cornet Abraham C. Sober to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Turner, promoted in the 16th light dragoons. James Wilkie to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Walter Ray, promoted.

15th Regiment of Light Dragoons—George John Borlase Warren to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Manly, who resigns.

21st Regiment of Foot Guards—Ensign George Tower to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bannet, who retires. Captain the Honourable D. G. Hallyburton, from the 22d foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Duff, who exchanges.

2d Regiment of Foot—Lieutenant Francis Vyvian, from the 57th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice McDowall, who exchanges.

4th Ditto—Lieutenant Edmund Faunce, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Minter, promoted in the 5th foot. Lieutenant Joseph Twigg, from the 6th West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Hart, who exchanges. James Lonsdale, Esq. late Lieutenant in the Regiment to be Paymaster.

7th Ditto—Lieutenant James Bourke, from the half pay of the late 6th regiment of the Irish Brigade, to be Lieutenant, vice Wetherall, who exchanges.

8th Ditto—Ensign William Scholey, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Oliver, who retires.

18th Ditto—Frederick Hill to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Johnston, promoted. George Stuart to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Loscombe, promoted.

20th Ditto—Ensign the Earl of Portarlington to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice McLean.

22d Ditto—Captain John Duff, from the 1st foot guards, to be Captain, vice Hallyburton, who exchanges.

34th Ditto—John Hollingbery to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Woodley, promoted in the 46th foot.

39th Ditto—Henry William Martin to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Buchanan, promoted in the 22d foot.

42d Ditto—James Harvey to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Stewart, promoted.

52d Ditto—Court Dewes to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Madden, promoted.

57th Ditto—Lieutenant William McDowall, from the 2d foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Vyvian, who exchanges. Ensign Thomas King to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Anderson, promoted.

60th Ditto—Captain John Campbell to be Major, by purchase, vice Robertson, who retires. Lieutenant George Pearson, from the 49th foot, to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Campbell.

69th Ditto—Lieutenant John Edward Lee to be Captain, by purchase, vice Allen, who retires.

70th Ditto—Ensign Henry Athorpe to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Chambers, promoted.

71st Ditto—Assistant-Surgeon William Phillips, from the 92d foot, to be Surgeon, vice Horseman, who retires on half-pay.

72d Ditto—Lieutenant James Campbell, from the 82d foot, to be Lieutenant, vice West, who exchanges.

82d Ditto—Lieutenant Thomas West, from the 72d foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Campbell, who exchanges.

88th Ditto—Ensign Lachlan Macpherson, from the 2d Argyllshire Fencibles, to be Quarter-Master, vice Macdonald, who resigns. Assistant-Surgeon John Brown, from half-pay, to be Assistant-Surgeon.

92d Ditto—Ensign Dougald Campbell, from the Northern Fencibles, to be Adjutant, vice Macdonald, whose appointment does not take place.

6th West-India Regiment—Lieutenant Christopher Hart, from the 4th foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Twigg, who exchanges.

6th Regiment of the Irish Brigade—William Hamilton to be Ensign without purchase, vice Hays, promoted.

WAR OFFICE, Dec. 29, 1798.

3d Regiment of Foot Guards—Lieutenant-Colonel George Clayton to be Captain of a company, vice Stuart, promoted to the command of a regiment of foot. Captain Joseph Copley to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice Clayton. Ensign Charles Rooke to be Lieutenant, vice Copley. — Rooke, to be Ensign, vice Charles Rooke.

4d Regiment of Foot, Timothy Dillon, to be Ensign, by purchase.

28th Ditto, Captain James Mansfield, from the Royal Garrison Battalion, to be Captain, vice Blackwood, who retires on the half-pay of the late 2d Battalion of 2d Foot.

40th Regiment of Foot, William Dunbar, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Houston, promoted.

65th Ditto, Ensign James Agnew to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice McGregor, promoted.

88th Ditto, Lieutenant John Christopher Ridout, from the 60th foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Butcher promoted.

90th Ditto, Benjamin Martin, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Campbell, promoted in the 80th Foot.

6th West India Regiment, Volunteer — Macdonald to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Whitehead, who resigns.

Royal Garrison Battalion, Captain Luke Walsh, from the half-pay of the late 2d Battalion of the 2d Foot, to be Captain, vice Mansfield, appointed to the 28th Foot.

A Regiment of Foot, Colonel John Stuart, from the 3d Foot Guards, to be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel — Lindenthal to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Sir Vere Hunt's Corps of Foot, George Parys, to be Ensign, vice Gough, resigned.

Captain William Gifford, of the 26th Foot, to be Major in the army.

To be Colonels in the army, and to take rank as such so long only as their respective Regiments of Militia shall remain embodied for actual service—

Honourable Colonel Thomas Onslow, of the 2d Regiment of Surrey Militia. Commission dated the 2d February 1797.

Colonel John Crewe, of the 2d Regiment of the Cheshire Militia. Commission dated the 16th of January 1797.

It is also said that Mr Hufkisson will retire from his situation as under Secretary of State in Mr Dundas's office, on a pension of 1000*l.* a year, with a reversion of 600*l.* a year in the event of his death, to the lady to whom he is about to be married.

Yesterday Lord Camelford was again brought up to the Duke of Portland's office, but was not examined. The Lord Chancellor and some other Lords of the Privy Council met there for a short time. Lord Camelford was remanded into the custody of Mr Johnson, the messenger.

Monday arrived at Yarmouth, a cutter from the Apollo frigate, the Captain of which (as is reported), says, that he went on board that vessel, and that there was no water between decks, nor in the cabin; that he had taken away his things out of the wardrobe, and brought away a goat which was upon deck, and that the masts were all standing, with the sails furled, and about 20 guns afloat.

Sailed, to the assistance of the above, the Africa frigate and a cutter.

The following notice is posted up at the Post-Office, and on 'Change:

GENERAL POST-OFFICE, JAN. 15.

"Intelligence has this day been received from the person who was dispatched with the Hamburg mails, for the purpose of landing them on the Continent, and bringing back such as were due, dated on board his Majesty's sloop Cruiser, at sea, the 10th instant, stating, that they arrived off Borkum on the 8th, but that the ice extended so far into the sea that they were not able once to get sight of land; that they proceeded to the eastward as far as Balthum, when having passed one immense field of ice, others extending as far as the eye could see, the course of the vessel being perfectly impeded, and the impracticability of landing the mails being fully ascertained, he had judged it proper to return, and was then on his way home.

"F. FREELING, Sec."

Borkum and Baltrum are small islands on the coast of Frisland.

The last advices from New York came down four days later than the day appointed for the meeting of the legislature; but the President was indisposed, and was unable to go in time to meet the Representatives. The opening was therefore adjourned for two days.

The next advices from America are expected to be truly interesting, since they will bring us the opening speech of the President, and develop the system which the newly-chosen representatives of the people will adopt, in consequence of the documents which are to be laid before them. It will be some consolation to the friends of peace and humanity, if they can see this distant land, removed by nature far from the intrigues and distractions of convulsed Europe, demonstrating in the moderation of her practice, the wisdom of the theory of her government; and shewing that she holds forth an asylum to disarmed freedom as much from the character of her Councils, as the frame of her Government.

As England, not a century and a half ago, endeavoured, in a fit of parsimony, to save the salary of a king, it may not be amiss to furnish those who consider it as having acted wise in this respect, with a little account of some of the expenses for Republican Governors to supply the place of Charles I.

As most of them were in debt, and all in poverty, the gratuities set against their names are the prices of their redemption from crying creditors to independence. Each member of the Long Parliament received 4*l.* per week of public money—576 members at 52 weeks, 119,808*l.*

Speaker Lenthall, 7730*l.* per annum, and 6000*l.* gratuity. His son received 2000*l.* a year.

Walter Strickland, 5000*l.* a year; Bulstrode Whitelocke, Commissioner of the Great Seal, 1500*l.* gratuity 2000*l.*

Pensioners at 1200*l.* per annum, Edmund Prideaux, Roger Hill, Francis Rous, Thomas Hoyle, and Sir Gilbert Gerrard, with a gift of 60,000*l.* and the Paymasters of the army at 3*d.* in the pound, equivalent to 12,000*l.* per annum.

Miles Corbett, 1700*l.* per annum; Hugh Smith, 2000*l.* per annum; Sir Edward Hungerford, 1500*l.* per annum; Cornelius Holland, 1600*l.* per annum; Sir T. Widdrington, 1500*l.* per annum; Sir William Brereton, 2000*l.* per annum; and Sir William Alliston, 1600*l.* per annum.

The most eminent who received gratuities, without being pensioned, were Selden, 2500*l.* Oliver Cromwell (who afterwards made it better worth his while), 4000*l.* Isaac Pennington, 7000*l.* (Bishop's lands not included), William Pierrepont, 47,000*l.* but being displeased with the smallness of the donation, he was pacified by a gift to his brother of the Archbishop of York's Palace in Nottinghamshire; John Ash, 14,000*l.* besides places; and John Blackstone, 15,000*l.* besides his pension of 2000*l.* per annum. These gratuities amounted to 308,500*l.* exclusive of gifts in lands and the confiscated estates of the Nobility, of immense value, and the pensioners drew annually 80,000*l.* from the people, exclusive of necessary places, &c.

It is difficult to find the exact multiple of these sums in order to estimate their value in the currency of those days; but perhaps if every guinea were to be considered equal to five in the present times, though it might not shew in its utmost extent what a Republic cost, it might yet be sufficient to convince the candid, that good order is purchased at half the price which has been paid for anarchy.

EXTRACTS FROM LA DECADE EGYPTIENNE.

NATIONAL INSTITUTE.

The account of the sittings of the National Institute of Egypt, which is given in this paper, begins by stating that the Establishment is formed in consequence of an arrete of the General in Chief, dated the 3th Fructidor.

The first sitting of this Institution was held on the 6th of Fructidor, at seven in the morning.

Monge was chosen President; Buonaparte, Vice President; Fourier, Secretary; and Costaz, Assistant Secretary.

Buonaparte proposed the following questions:

1. What are the means of economising the combustibles used in the ovens of the army?
2. Can a substitute be found for hops in the manufacture of beer in Egypt?
3. What are the best means of keeping cool and clarifying the water of the Nile?
4. Whether it is more convenient to construct wind or water mills at Cairo?
5. Does Egypt contain resources for making gun-powder?
6. What are these resources?
7. What is the situation of jurisprudence, of the judicial order, civil and criminal, and of instruction in Egypt?
8. What are the improvements that may be made in these departments, and which would be agreeable to the people of the country?

Committees were appointed to examine each of these questions.

LONDON—JANUARY 16.

Ten Hamburg mails became due this morning.

In consequence of the very great inconveniences to which the merchants are put by the non-arrival of the Hamburg mails, which prevents the circulation of money, the funds felt a small depression, as vast sums of the last loan were brought to market. The payment of the dividends will, however, tend very much to render these inconveniences as light as possible.

We are happy to learn, that accounts were yesterday received that the packet which was carrying General Koehler and his brother officers to the Continent, was seen standing in for Heligoland; so that there is every reason to hope that all the passengers embarked in the vessel are safe.

It is said that Admiral Lord Nelson intercepted four dispatches from the Directory to Buonaparte, in which they informed him that they were preparing to invade Piedmont, and afterwards to attack Naples.

We are concerned to learn that Sir Edward Berry has had a relapse of his severe indisposition, and is in such an indifferent state of health, that his physicians have ordered him to go immediately to Bath, for which place he set off this morning.

The gallant veteran Earl Howe is one of the persons advanced in life who have suffered much from the late severe season.

The Duke of Wirtemberg has put the Hereditary Prince, his son, aged 17, under arrest. He is closely guarded a prisoner in the Castle at Stuttgart, and a guard is appointed to watch him. M. de Phal, who is suspected of having seduced the young Prince, and Major Rhaeder, are also arrested. It is said the young Prince withheld to escape from his father's dominions.

Nothing further has transpired respecting the intelligence said to have been received by Government from France. No Paris papers of a later date than the 6th instant have yet got into circulation.

Lord Camelford was yesterday again brought up to the Secretary of State's Office, but did not undergo an examination. The attempt of his Lordship to pass over to France was a mere act of indifference, to which he is supposed to have been prompted by a too ardent desire to perform some feat of desperation, by which, he thought, the cause of Europe might be essentially served. Little doubt is entertained of his Lordship's intellects being in a deranged state, and therefore it is supposed the result of the deliberations on his case will be, an order to provide him with proper medical assistance.

Lord Camelford's ship, to which he was appointed some time since, is the Charon of 44 guns, going out with stores to the Mediterranean. A new Captain is expected to be appointed, in consequence of his Lordship's indisposition—he is now at Spithead, waiting for orders.

Lord Thurlow is at this time the largest grafs and hay farmer near the metropolis; he occupies near 500 acres of his own meadow land, and there is scarcely a dunghill on the Dulwich road but is the agricultural property of his Lordship.

The last American papers contain the following extract of a letter of the 28th July 1798, from J. Williams, Esq. agent for American claims in London:—"Since your departure, the Lords have done business as they ought to have done it long before. They have restored in about 66 cafes; ordered further proof in 20; and affirmed the condemnation of 14. Their present session will end next week, to meet again in November. Forty cafes are set down for that term."

M. le Niebhour, Counsellor of the King of Denmark, has just published some very judicious observations on the expedition of the French into Egypt. It is the opinion of M. Niebhour, that the first object of Buonaparte was only to conquer Egypt, to establish himself there, and to make it a French department; that his ultimate project might be, according to circumstances, to go and pillage Medina and Mecca, after having created a navy upon the Arabian Gulph; and perhaps after this to attempt an excursion to India.

General Frell is one of the not least successful agents of the French. By his aid they took Holland, in the winter of 1794, and he now cuts us off from all communication with our allies, at a moment the most critical and important to the general interests of Europe.

The head-quarters of the army of England which were established at Rouen, have been removed to Rennes, in order, say the Paris papers, to draw nearer to the coast, and guard against any enterprizes which the English may attempt.

GENERAL MACDONALD.—This General, who has lately distinguished himself in Italy, is, as we have before said, of Scotch extraction. He served in Holland, from whence he went into the French service. He is a young man not above 34 years of age. He has great military talents, and some knowledge of tactics. He served under General Pichegru in 1794 and 1795, in the situation of General of Brigade of the first division. Though he commanded the strongest column of the army of the North, he still directed the movements of General Jourdan. After serving with much distinction in the army of the North, he was made a General of Division in the army of the Rhine. There was in the English army an officer of the same name. After the passage of the Meuse the English officer went, it is said, upon a parody to the French army—"You have," he exclaimed, "a General among you of my name—we wish much to take him." "Have a care," said the French officer, "that he does not take you." And, in fact, the very next day, the English officer was near being taken by the column commanded by Gen. Macdonald.

That toads in a perfect state have been found in solid rocks and marble, and enveloped in the largest and closest grained trees, are facts attested by the most respectable authorities. A similar, and perhaps little less surprising circumstance was discovered last week by Messrs. Pope and Tart, of Birmingham, who, in fawing an elephant's tooth, found in the middle of it a perfect iron spear-head, 6½ inches long; the corroded state of the iron, the firm texture of the ivory, and the well-known longevity of the elephant, render it highly probable that it had been in that situation 40 or 50 years before the death of the animal.

Fashionable caprice has found out another novelty necessary to the complete accomplishment of the female character—it is no other, than that all women of taste should scientifically be taught the use of those delicate instruments called cymbals, and this by no other performance than the *chief* of the Duke of York's military blacks!—It is now the height of *ton* for a lady to be able to accompany the dances of an evening, throughout with all the farage action and clamour of their soul-inspiring master.

On Saturday night last a woman was shot at her own door at Ballinderry in Ireland, by some persons unknown.

The Treaty of Commerce between the French and Dutch Republics is, we understand, concluded.

The losses of the King of Sardinia have prevented him from continuing his usual contribution for defraying the expenses of the Roman Catholic Chapel in Lincoln's Inn Fields, which has been shut up since the 1st of this month.

The Class of Natural Theology of the University of Leyden has proposed for the subject of a prize, the following question, "What have been, among the ancients who believed that the soul survived the body, the opinions, maxims, or sentiments on the perfection of the soul after death?"

Poor Follet, of Covent Garden Theatre, is said to have much impaired his health by drinking spirits. The same was reported of Blanchard.—Old Macklin used to say *au contraire*, that drinking brandy copiously, till he could afford to drink wine, lessened him.

It was a common observation with Garrick, that the acquirement of a fortune did not depend so much upon a lucky combination of circumstances, as upon a fixed and regular plan of economy. "When I could afford to rent a house (he has often been heard to declare) I took a first floor. When my circumstances would permit me to keep a country residence, I took a house; and when I might have set up my carriage, I kept a chaise."

AERIAL COURIERS.—The Aérostat, Citizen Garnerin, has presented a plan to the Directory, by which he proposes to send dispatches to Buonaparte in balloons. Another person, however, has come forward, and lays claim to a share in the expedition, on the ground of his being the first projector. Garnerin, on the contrary, insists that he made the first discovery himself, and the merit of the original invention is warmly contended in the French Papers!!

DR PITCHAIRN.—When degrees were held in higher estimation, and therefore more coveted than at present, Pitchairn, then at Edinburgh, in order to afford a Dutch University, where himself had been graduated, and degrees had been much prostituted, sent for a diploma for his valet, which being granted, he sent for another for his horse; to which last request the Rector Magnificus replied, that, with a view to oblige him, they had consulted their records for a precedent, but they could not find one, though, under the name Pitchairn, it appeared that the University once conferred an honorary degree on an ass!

FIRE IN THE PALAIS EGALITE.

This happened so far back as the 15th Dec. The following is the manner in which the accident is noticed by the Decade Philosophique:

"A fire has consumed the ignoble edifice which the late Duke of Orleans erected in the middle of the Palais Egalite. This building, which contained the Lyceum of Arts, a theatre, and more than 50 shops, is completely destroyed. It is a great misfortune for the persons who have lost their property; but it is a fortunate circumstance for the arts. The disgusting spectacle which these buildings exhibited shocked every person of taste. They disfigured that beautiful garden which formerly afforded an elegant promenade in the centre of Paris, but which destroyed by the calculations of a fordid interest, was become, physically and morally, the sink of every thing impure in this great city. It was for a moment feared that the fire would communicate to what is called the Wooden Galleries, a considerable edifice formed of planks, which seems destined to be destroyed by the flames, and to set fire to all that quarter, if the vigilance of the Government does not prevent such a misfortune by pulling down this and other useless incumbrances. It is then only that the Palais Egalite will have free communications and air of dignity which at present are wanting, and the absence of which render it altogether unworthy of the capital of the Great Nation."

The following account appears in the Ami des Lois, the Chronique, and other papers:

"On the 25th Frimaire (Dec. 15.) several other fires broke out besides that in the Palais Egalite. Some say there were no less than seven, but this number is probably exaggerated. As to the fire in the garden Egalite, the following are the most accurate particulars we have heard respecting it.

"It began at half past seven. At eight o'clock one half of the Circus was reduced to ashes, and notwithstanding the efforts of the firemen, and the abundant supply of water, the other half could not be saved. Only two or three shops at each of the extremities escaped the fire—but not demolition; so that the destruction of the buildings is complete.

"The firemen, the armed force, and the members of the Central Bureau, gave on this occasion the most brilliant proofs of their skill, courage, and humanity. Citizen Sallior, one of the members of the Central Bureau, was alone upon the terrace when it fell, and four firemen were covered with the ruins. Having escaped the danger himself, he flew to the assistance of the firemen, and with the help of those near him he got them out. They were all very severely wounded, but none of them mortally.

"The greater part of the chefs-d'œuvre in mechanics, which formed the riches of the Lyceum of the Arts, have become the prey of the flames; and among others the ingenious *échelle à incendie*.

"A captain, a sergeant, a corporal, and fireman, all of the corps of firemen, were also wounded, but not dangerously.

"From the different reports it is probable that the fire broke out in that part of the building which was occupied as a Theatre, and where workmen had been employed during the night in making preparations for a performance which was to have taken place on the following day."

LLOYD'S MARINE LIST, Jan. 15.

The Adventure, Warrington, from Tortola to London, has been taken by the Intrepid privateer, retaken by the Bouillie frigate, and arrived at Plymouth.

The Good Intent, Humphries, from London to Galway, has been taken by a French privateer, retaken by the Admiral, Dean, from Charlestown, and sent into Falmouth.

The Hine, Fidge, from Hamburg to New York, is wrecked in the Orkneys. Cargo expected to be saved.

The Susannah, Williams, from Dartmouth to Torbay, has been taken near Dartmouth by a French privateer, retaken by a British armed boat, and brought back to Dartmouth.

The Prince William Henry, Bowman, from London to Plymouth, was taken the 9th ult. near Folkestone, by a privateer, and carried into Grenville, where she is since lost.

A loaded sloop was captured off Portland by a privateer, Thursday last.

The Fly, Jones, from Liverpool to Africa, was taken the 2d September, in lat. 2. long. 15.32, by a privateer of 16 guns and 95 men; which privateer had captured the Eliza, McCarty, and 95 men; from London to Sierra Leone; also a Portuguese vessel.

The Surprise, John, from London, was captured by a French privateer on the morning of the 8th December, as were a brig belonging to London, with many stores for Plymouth.

The Mary, Horswell, from Newfoundland to the West Indies, is taken and carried into Guadalupe.

The Smallbridge, Syme, from Martinico to London, has been taken by a privateer, retaken by the ship Puma, and carried into Liverpool.

The Puma, from Philadelphia to China, is captured by a French frigate, and carried into Nantes.

The Tarenton, Skimmins, of Liverpool, is lost at Cape Palmas.

The Endeavour, Cloak, from Newfoundland, has been taken, retaken, and arrived at Dartmouth.

The Marianne, transport, from the West Indies to London, foundered at sea; crew saved in the Elizabeth, Dickson, and arrived at Liverpool.

WINDS AT DEAL.
Jan. 11. S. S. W.—12. S. S. W.—13. S. W.—14. S. W.

MAILES.
Arrived—London, 7.—Hamburg, 9.
Due—London, 2.—Hamburg, 9.

STOCKS.
BANK STOCK 139 1/4
3 per cent. do. 53 1/4
4 per cent. do. 67 1/4
5 per cent. do. 84 1/4
3 per cent. do. 53 1/4

INDIA STOCK 161 1/2
Long ann. 15 9-10
Short 15 9-10

LONDON PRICES, Jan. 14.

HOPS.
KENT 91 0s to 101 5s
Suffex 91 0s to 101 5s
Farnham 91 0s to 101 5s

POCKETS.
KENT 91 0s to 101 5s
Suffex 91 0s to 101 5s
Farnham 91 0s to 101 5s

LEATHER, per lb.
Butts 50 to 60 lb 17 1/2 to 18 1/2—Ditto 60 to 90 lb 19 to 20 1/2
—Merchants Butts, 18 1/2 to 19 1/2—Ditto 18 1/2 to 19 1/2
—Fine Coach Hides, 19 1/2 to 20 1/2—Crop Hides for cutting 19 1/2 to 20 1/2
—Flat Ordinary, 18 1/2 to 19 1/2—Calf Skins, 40 to 50 lb per doz. 2 1/2 to 2 1/2
—Ditto, 60 to 80 lb 2 1/2 to 2 1/2—Ditto 80 to 120 lb 2 1/2 to 2 1/2
—Small Seals (Greenland) 80 to 100 lb per doz. 2 1/2 to 2 1/2
—Large ditto, 120 to 160 lb per doz. 2 1/2 to 2 1/2—Tanned Horse Hides, 20 to 30 lb per doz. 2 1/2 to 2 1/2
—Coat Skins, 21 1/2 to 23 1/2—Price of Bark per load 17 1/2 to 18 1/2

TALLOW.
St James's Market 35 6d
Ruffia do (cand) 54s to 57
Whitcomb Market 35 4d
Melting Stuff 45s to 47
Ditto Rough 32s to 34
Graves 9s
Good Dregs 8s
Average price 35 5d
Yellow Soap, 76s—Mottled, 82s—Curds, 86s

Caledonian Mercury.

EDINBURGH—JANUARY 19.

Ten Hamburg mails are now due; but by a gentleman arrived this morning from London, we are informed that he met carriages on their way from Shields, with six of these mails which had arrived there, from whence they were forwarded to London, where only they could be opened.

The Prince of Wales, the Princess of Orange, and the Carteret Packet, with nine Hamburg Mails, left Cuxhaven last Saturday; the first arrived at Shields on Thursday morning. It brings intelligence that 15 vessels were driven on shore at the mouth of the Elbe, from the immense quantity of ice. Thirteen of them got into Cuxhaven next day with little damage, the other two a large American Ship and a Brig belonging to Hamburg are thought to be totally lost.

No very material political news have been brought by the above vessels.

We have received Dublin papers to the 15th instant, but they contain no intelligence.

BIRTH.—At Barroch Houfe, Mrs SINCLAIR of Barroch, of a daughter upon the 1st January current.

Died here on Tuesday 15th inst. THOMAS GORDON, eldest son of Mr Thomas Gordon, writer to the signet.

Died on the 15th inst. SOPHIA, youngest daughter of Andrew Wauchop, Esq. of Niddrie.

Died at her house in Glasgow-street, Glasgow, Mrs ANN McDOWALL, relict of the deceased Mr DAVID M'RAE, late of Braehead, Airshire.

WILLIAM MORRIS, of Brieryhill, Esq. died at Inverkeithing, on Saturday last, aged 23 years.

This day the Right Hon. the Lord Provost received an official letter, giving information that the report of a ship (frigate built) and sloop seen some days ago, off Robin Hood Bay, and supposed to be enemy's ships, is entirely groundless. The Africa frigate, and a sloop of war, (the Victor), were exactly in that situation, cruising at the stated time the enemy were supposed to be there, and there is not the least doubt but the supposed French privateers were the ships above mentioned, who are still cruising on that part of the coast with the Tifphone.

Yesterday being kept as her Majesty's birth-day, the great guns were fired from the Castle, the Battery, and the Volunteers had a field day.—It was observed as a holiday at the Banks and Public Offices.

QUEEN'S ASSEMBLY.

The Assembly at George Street Rooms, last night in honour of HER MAJESTY'S Birth Day, was probably the most splendid of any which this city could ever boast. The company was composed of all that was fashionable and genteel; Monsieur, his suite, and a number of noble families were present. Never was there a more brilliant display of beauty, fancy, and elegance. The company was in high spirits and the dancing was conducted with great vivacity till the morning was pretty far advanced, when the company parted with regret from amusements so exhilarating and so inviting. It is estimated that nearly a thousand persons were present.

On Monday, the Rev. Mr JAMES M'LACHLAN, Missionary Minister of Strathglaifs was admitted assistant and successor to the Rev. JOSEPH ROBERTSON M'GREGOR, Minister of the Gaelic Chapel in this city. We understand that some objections have been made to this settlement.

On Tuesday last, the University of Glasgow conferred the degree of Doctor of Laws, on JOHN ROBINSON, Esq. Professor of Natural Philosophy in the University of Edinburgh, and the degree of Doctor in Divinity, on the Reverend ROBERT MOODIE, Minister of the Gospel at Clackmannan.

Last week, JOHN BOYES, Esq. sen. of Wellhall, ordered one hundred load of coals to be given from his works at Lickprick to the poor of the parish of Kilbride, and to be distributed under the direction of the Minister. Mr Boyes's tenants, and the farmers in the neighbourhood, carried the coals to the poor people without making any charge.

COURT OF EXCHEQUER.

A cause of great importance to the trading interest, was tried in Exchequer on Thursday last, in which the Plaintiff was an Officer of Excise, who sued for penalties, and Messrs. HAIGS, Distillers, were Defendants.—It was founded on an act of Parliament passed on 29th June last, imposing an additional duty of one shilling per gallon, on all spirits found in the stocks of DISTILLERS and DEALERS, upon the first actual survey after the 13th of the same month, in terms of resolutions of a Committee of Supply.

The DEALERS were confessedly under survey of the Excise, previous to the enactment of the 29th. The DISTILLERS had been free from every such fetter, since the introduction of the system of license, which having laid the duty on the capacity of the still, in place of the quantity of the wash or the spirits produced, rendered the interference of the Exciseman in taking stock for the prevention of fraud entirely unnecessary.

By a special clause in the act of the 29th of June, the distiller was made liable thereafter to the visits of the officer for this purpose, which was resorted to, from this additional duty being imposed on the spirits manufactured; after the promulgation of this new law therefore, the distiller admitted himself subject to survey, but the Board of Excise having, several days before the law was passed, taken an account of the defendants' stocks, by means of a military force, the plaintiff insisted that the defendant had forfeited the penalties, from not having proffered the additional duties, in terms of this survey, and agreeably to the foregoing statute.

The defendants contended, that there were illegal proceedings, by which the distiller could not be affected, and the Counsel for the Crown candidly admitted that from the survey founded on, unless warranted by the pre-existing law there could be no such retrospective quality, as demanded to be attached to it.

The LORD CHIEF BARON, in his address to the jury, informed them that it was the opinion of the Court, that the powers of surveying the stocks of the distillers were taken away by the introduction of the system of license;—that this mode of levying the duties might be termed not improperly a new agreement between Government and the trader, the posterior practice warranting this explanation, and that indeed by special enactment in the laws of license, defined powers were committed to the officers of Excise, to enter the premises of the distillers—not to take an account of their stocks, but for other specific purposes.

Considering it as a question of law, however, his Lordship suggested to the Jury the propriety of finding specially, for the decision of the Court.

The Jury returned a general verdict in favour of the defendants.

Counsel for the Plaintiff—Lord Advocate, Mr Solicitor General, Mr Rae, and Mr Edmondstone, Advocates.—Mr McKENZIE of Exchequer, Attorney.

Counsel for the Defendants—The Hon. Henry Erskine, Mr John Clark, Mr Montgomery, and Mr Peter Walker, Advocates.—Mr Walker of Exchequer, Attorney.—Mr Inglis, W. S. Agent.

The accounts inserted in the London papers of the 12th instant, announcing that the British settlement in the Bay of Honduras had been captured by the Spaniards, about four months ago, and which accounts were said to have been received by the ship Eagle, arrived at Plymouth, with a number of the settlers, is premature, and must have been inserted to serve a particular purpose. By letters received at Glasgow, from Honduras, dated 25th September, it appears, that there had been several partial actions between the Spanish armed vessels and the British settlers previous to the 16th of September; that Captain Moss, of the Merlin sloop of war, of 16 guns, who has been stationed there for a considerable time past, having under his command seven flat-bottomed vessels, mounting nine-pounders, two sloops, carrying 18 pounders, and a few smaller vessels with lighter guns, all belonging to the settlement, did, on the 16th September, near St George's Bay, engage the Spanish flotilla, which had been reinforced with seven additional vessels from Campeachy, amounting in the whole to twenty-eight sail, several of which were gun-boats, carrying two 24 pounders in their prow, and 18 pounders in their stern; and, by a judicious disposition of his small force, Captain Moss gave the Dons so warm a reception, that, after a short engagement, they were compelled to retreat shamefully, though so very superior to the British in force; the larger vessels making off towards Campeachy, and the smaller towards Bacallar.

PEEBLES—JANUARY 16.

On Monday the 14th Mr JAMES THOMSON, tenant in Crookstone, actuated by a spirit of loyalty and attachment to his King and Constitution, but who from age, felt much regret at his inability to use his own personal exertions in the noble cause of his country's welfare, convened the Peebles Volunteers in the Town Hall, and gave them an elegant entertainment. Many loyal and patriotic toasts were given, among which were the following:

The King and Constitution,
Success to his Majesty's Arms by Sea and Land.
The Officers of the Peebles Volunteers, and all other Volunteer Corps who have taken up arms in defence of their King and Country.

ARRIVED AT LEITH.

January 17. Expedition, Duncan, from Newcastle, apples—Industry, Chapman, from Berwick, grain—Nicholas, Wallace, from Aberdeen, malt—Britannia, Croal, from London, goods—Polly, Jack, from Dunbar, grain—Ann, Gray, from Newcastle, coals.—18. Elizabeth, Hunter, from Greenock, goods—Hawk, Tod, from Anstruther, grain—James, Liddell, from Newcastle, goods—Beaufoy, McLaren, from Hull, do.—Isabella, Galloway, from Liverpool, do.—Admiral Duncan, McLachlan, from Greenock, do.—Peggy, Ritchie, from Port Glasgow, do.—Three Brothers, Barr, from Newcastle, do.—Kello Packet, Moor, from London, do.—Edinburgh and Berwick Packet, Cooper, from do.—Berwick Merchants, White, from do.—Margaret, Hunter, from do.—five sloops with coals.

CLEARED OUT.

Peggy, Clark, for Dundee, goods—Hunter, Wood, for Inverness, do.—Leith and Liverpool Packet, Young, from Liverpool do.—Commercial Packet, Mosley, for London, do.—Christian, Wishart, for Newcastle, do.—Glasgow Packet, Hall, for London, do.

EDINBURGH PRICES OF MEAL, Jan. 15.

Lothian Oatmeal, 260 bolls. South Country, 20.
Mid Lothian per 5. South Country per Bolls. Prices per Peck.
First, L. 0 14 2 First, L. 0 14 6 First, 15 0
Second, 0 14 0 Second, 0 14 0 Second, 0 14 0
Third, 0 14 5 Third, 0 14 0 Third, 0 14 0

HADDINGTON, Jan. 18.

Wheat, 23s 3d Barley, 12s 6d Oats, 13s 6d Beans, 13s 6d
Second 22s 6d 12s 0d 12s 0d 12s 0d
Third 21s 6d 11s 6d 11s 6d 11s 6d

SEQUESTRATIONS, &c.

Jan. 16.—HENRY ANDREWS, Merchant in Inverness.—Creditors to meet in John Erle's, vintner there, on the 29th current, at noon, to choose an interim factor; and on the 26th February, to choose a trustee.

17.—WILLIAM JACK, sometime Merchant in Cupar of Fife, late residing at Hilton.—Creditors to meet in David Methven's, vintner, Cupar-Fife, on the 28th current, at noon, to name an interim factor; and on the 21st February, to choose a trustee.

Creditors of ANDREW WILSON, late Merchant in Lanark, to meet in Robert Sommerville's, vintner there, on the 4th February, at noon, to receive their final dividends.

ALEXANDER BOWIE, Cotton Spinner in Glasgow, to meet in the Court Hall of the Tolbooth there, on the 22d inst. at one P.M. to give instructions to the trustee.

Examination of ANDREW PLUMMER, Fletcher in Edinburgh, in the Sheriff Clerk's Office, on the 29th January and 12th February; at noon.—Creditors to produce their claims before the 12th August with Alexander Thomson, Fletcher, Dalkeith, the trustee.

ALEXANDER ROBERTSON, late Merchant in Nicholson Street, on the 1st and 22d February, at noon, in the Sheriff Clerk's Office, Edinburgh.—Creditors to meet in John's Coffeehouse on the 23d February, to give instructions to the trustee.

PETER FORRESTER, late Merchant in Edinburgh, &c. has applied to the Court of Session, for a discharge.

GEORGE STREET ASSEMBLY ROOMS.

The Subscribers and the Public are respectfully informed that the first PROFESSIONAL CONCERT will be held on Tuesday, the 22d inst. To begin at Eight o'clock precisely.

PLAN OF THE CONCERT.

ACT I.
Grand Overture—PLEYEL.
Italian Rondo—MR URBANI.

Concerto Violoncello—MR SHETKEY.
Song—Mrs CORRI, accompanied on the Harp by Mr PERRETT, being his first appearance in this kingdom.

ACT II.
Scottish Song—MR URBANI.
Sonata—Harp—PERRETT—PERRETT.

Song—Mrs CORRI.
Violin Concerto—MR STABINI.
Duet—Mrs CORRI and Mr URBANI.

Finale.

Subscribers will please to send for their Subscription and Transferable Tickets to No. 37, North Bridge Street, where Subscriptions are taken in, and where the Conditions for the remaining Concerts may be seen.—Admission Tickets to Non-Subscribers, 5s. each; to be had at all the Music Shops, and at the door of the Assembly Rooms.

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This Day is Published, price 6d.
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HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, SILVER PLATE, &c.
TO BE SOLD.

BY WARRANT OF THE SHERIFF.

There is to be sold, by public roup, on Tuesday the 22d of January 1799, and the following days, in that Lodging No. 49, Queen Street,

A N elegant Assortment of dining-room, drawing-room, dressing-room, bed-room, and Kitchen FURNITURE, consisting of tables, chairs, drawers, Welson carpets, mirrors, feather beds, blankets, sheets, table napery, &c. a considerable quantity of Silver Plate, a Spring Clock, and a fashionable four-wheeled CHAISE.

The roup to begin at 11 o'clock each day, and continue till all is sold off. Ready Money.

An inventory of the articles may be seen, by applying to Wm. Lockhart, Sheriff-Clerk's Office.

TIMBER FOR SALE AT TORWOOD.

To be sold by public roup, at TORWOODHEAD, on the 5th day of February, 1799.

A LARGE HAG OF OAK (containing some BIRCH) full grown, for cutting, to be set up in Lots.

Also, a considerable quantity of HARD WOOD, consisting of Large Oak Standards, Elms, fine Beeches, &c.—With some Larix Fir Trees. To be set up single, or in such lots as will accommodate intending purchasers.

The Timber is very well calculated for country uses.—Mill Wrights, Carpenters, Cart and Coach Wrights, &c. will find this an excellent selection of Timber, for their several purposes, and many of the Beeches are fit for keels to vessels.

The Wood will be shown by J. Hardy, the wood-keeper at the Torwood Gate. CARROHALL, JAN. 1797.

GROWING WOOD TO BE SOLD.

AND GRASS PASTURES TO BE LET.

IN STIRLINGSHIRE.

To be sold by public voluntary roup, at Touch House, in the parish of St Ninians, within three miles of the town of Stirling, on Monday the 11th February 1799, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

PART of the WOODS in the WEST GLEN of TOUCH, consisting of a large quantity of both great and small timber chiefly of Oak, Ash, Elm, Plane, and Birch Trees.—For the convenience of purchasers, they will be allowed two, three, or four years for cutting the wood, it shall be agreed on.

Upon the same day, the PARKS and INCLOSURES upon the Estate of TOUCH, will be let for grazing during the ensuing season, by public roup.

James Lindsay, overseer at Touch will show the premises.

TO BE SOLD BY PRIVATE BARGAIN.

And entered to at Whitsunday next.

THE DWELLING-HOUSE, being the FOURTH STOREY of the First Turnpike east side of Foulis's Close, consisting of four rooms, closets, kitchen, cellars, and other conveniences. It is insured in the Edinburgh Friendly Insurance Office on the old plan, and will be sold either with or without the insurance.

II.—That DWELLING-HOUSE in Nicholson Street, presently possessed by John Key, tailor, consisting of three rooms, kitchen and closet, and three cellars.

If these subjects are not sold betwixt and Candlemas, they will be let for the ensuing year.

For further particulars enquire at Robert Ranken, solicitor at law.

GROUND FOR BUILDING.

THE VACANT AREAS OF GROUND on that part of the Lands of GREENSIDE, fenced by the late Mr BAXTER Architect, from the city of Edinburgh, will be disposed of, by PUBLIC ROUP, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, on Tuesday the 29th January current, at one o'clock afternoon.

The Ground will be put up in such lots as may appear most convenient for officers at the time of the sale, and the consideration will be taken either by a sum of money down, or by an annual duty, the feuars being always bound to relieve the exposer of the feu-duty already payable to the city of Edinburgh.

Plans of the Ground, and a proposed elevation, together with the articles of sale and title-deeds will be seen in the hands of Maxwell Gordon and John Morrison, writers to the signet, to whom persons desiring further information may apply.

LANDS AND SUPERIORITY IN AYRSHIRE.

To be sold by public roup, within the King's Arms Tavern in Ayr—the day to be named in a future advertisement.

THE LANDS of BURNHOUSEHALL, HIGH RATH, LAIGH RATH, and LITTLE LADYKIRK, in the parish of Torbolton, in two lots, as formerly described; fee advertisement August and September last. Some of the leases existing when the lands were formerly advertised being now bought up, most of them are either to be entered to at Martinmas next, or under short leases.

ALSO THE SUPERIORITY OF LOCKERMOSSE.

Persons desirous of viewing the lands may apply to Mr James Cairnie, factor; and for other information to Mr Thomas Martin, No. 1, George Street, Edinburgh; or Mr John Bowtell, writer, Ayr, to either of whom applications for a private sale may also be made.

HIGH WATER AT LEITH. Morn. Even.
Sunday, Jan. 20. — 0 36 1 6
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DEFENCE OF THE COUNTRY.

Subscriptions in the Parish of Darn, in the County of Perth.

The Rev. Mr David	Robert Wirtis	2 6
Dow, minister	James Cant	5 0
John Donaldson	Laurance Cant	3 0
West Dron	Thomas Iyell	3 0
John Buist in Ellidmagirde	Francis Ritchie	10 0
K. Steel, Pitnamern	James Guthrie	1 0
D. Taylor in Baiglic	William Cant	2 6
Andrew Lowrie	Andrew Hood	1 0
Alex. Lowrie	William Dun	1 0
Ebenezer Greig	William Mercer	2 0
Thomas Bird	Janet Campbell	0 6
James Scobie	Janet Chalmers	0 6
Andrew Low	Alexander Graham	1 0
James Guir	in Clorhugstane	1 0
John Archer		0 6
William Cant		0 6

Subscriptions in the Parish of ABERNETHY, in the County of Perth.

Alex. Murray, Esq.	100 0	Francis Gordon	5 6
Jas Paterson, Esq.	5 0	Andrew Gordon	0 6
A Lady	2 0	Andrew Archibald	1 0
A Lady	1 0	Janet Johnston	1 0
The Rev. Mr Wm. Duncan, minister	5 0	Henry Leitch	5 0
The Rev. Mr C. Brown, succeeding minister	1 0	David Marshall	1 0
John Ogilvie, schoolmaster	1 0	D. Waindell, James-field	1 0
James Murray	5 0	John Wedderspoon	1 0
David Fleeming	2 6	Peter Bisset	1 0
David Guthrie	5 0	William Peat	1 0
Peter Scott	2 6	Alexander Smith	2 6
William Coventry	2 6	Alexander Fechney	1 0
Thomas Henderson	1 0	Janet Wainles	2 6
James Weenys	1 0	Jane Strickton	1 0
William Robinson	2 0	Isabel Paterson	1 0
Laurence Malcolm	2 0	John Henderson, Gethorlia	1 0
William Bell	1 0	John White, Catholich	10 6
James Duff	1 0	James Davidson	3 6
Alex. Allan	1 0	Arthur Buhish, Pitten-cary	1 0
James Greenhill	1 0	Andrew Craigie	10 6
John Simpson	1 0	James Anderson	1 0
Andrew Blyth	1 0	James M'Omil	2 6
John Walker	2 0	William Paterson	1 0
John M'Omly	2 0	Will. Paterson, jun.	2 6
Thomas Henderson	1 0	George Rutherford	1 0
Alexander Eason	0 6	Peter Gardiner	2 6
James Eason	1 0	James Thom	1 0
Robert Archibald	0 2	John Thom	10 6
Robert Dron	1 0	David Small	2 6
John Dron	0 6	Will. Barclay, Mes-dow	1 0
Joseph Nicol	0 2	John Moon, Balgow-nie	1 0
George Williamson	2 0	John Adam	2 6
William Williamson	2 0	Thomas Morebray	1 0
John Robertson	0 6	David Squire	1 0
James Shepherd	1 0	Andrew Adam	1 0
Alex. M'Naughton	1 0	Helen Paterson	1 0
Mary Chrysal	2 6	Betty Miller	1 0
George Brown	1 0	William Adamson	1 0
John Nicol	1 0	Ninian Buchan	1 0
James White	1 0	John Walker	0 6
David Cowan	1 0	Henry Scot	10 6
W. Black	0 6	John Low	1 0
Margaret Isaac	2 6	David Smith	1 0
Wm. Taylor	1 0	William Hood	1 0
John Pearson	1 0	Andrew Stanes	1 0
Laurence Pearson	0 6	James Low	1 0
Janet Thomson	1 0	Peter Speedie	1 0
John Scott	1 0	Peter Walker	1 0
James Bennett	1 0	Daniel Peacock	5 0
Andrew Williamson	1 0	John Cowans	2 0
V. D. T. A.	2 6	John Christie	5 6
Encas Tasker	1 0	A. Scrymgeour	2 6
Wm. White	1 0	James Dick	1 6
Samuel Kempie	0 6	John Clark	1 6
Betty Richie	1 0	John Stobie	5 0
Grizel Gray	1 0	Andrew Scott	2 6
David Greenhill	1 0	Elipet Poccary	1 0
David Robinson	1 0	David Stevenson	2 6
Wm. Walker	1 0	David Bain	2 6
John Clow	0 6	William Peddy	10 6
Wm. Witherspoon	1 0	Alexander Gorrie	2 0
Andrew Haggart	1 0	William Logie	1 0
Thomas Taylor	1 0	John Hood	5 0
Thomas Malcolm	1 0	John Hood, jun.	5 0
Margaret Lindsay	2 0	Widow Bain	1 0
Robert Taylor	5 6	Andrew Mercer	0 6
Norman Culbert	1 0	William M'Cosh	10 0
Andrew Stewart	1 0	Alexander Speedie	1 6
David Davidson	1 0	Andrew M'Cosh	5 0
Alexander Davidson	1 0	John Hood	2 0
John Davidson	1 0	George Sandilands	2 0
David Rolie	2 0	David Sanders	1 0
John Guthrie	2 0	Laurence Ewen	0 6
John Brown	2 0	Thomas Angus	0 6
Christian Fisher	2 0	Mrs Alison	1 6
Mary Dewar	1 0	Janet M'Donald	2 6
T. Peat, Greenside L. I	1 0	Thomas Nicol	5 0
John Peat	5 0	Christian Paterson	1 0
James Peat	5 0	Margaret More	1 0
William Peat	5 0	Katharine Millar	1 0
James Angus	1 0	Janet Watson	1 0
James Bailer	1 0	Margaret Millar	1 0

HOUSES TO BE SOLD.
To be sold by Private Bargain.
THE FOURTH STOREY AND THE ATTIC STOREY
of the Corner House of DRUMMOND STREET—
The fourth storey consists of six rooms and a kitchen, besides five closets; the attic storey consists of seven rooms and closets. They are well adapted for one large family, and at the same time, are well suited for two separate families. They have an extensive view of sea and land, at least twenty miles in five. They may be entered to immediately.

THE SECOND FLAT, and all above it, in that Land, adjoining, not yet finished.
ELEGANT SHOPS to let at same place.
Apply to Simon Fraser the proprietor.

TO SELL.
THAT HOUSE in Queen Street, No. 25, betwixt Hanover and Frederick Streets, consisting of two floors, having three rooms and two closets on each, and of a sunk floor, where there are kitchen, two rooms, three closets, a pantry, and two wine cellars. Under the pavement in front there are three cellars, and a water pipe and cistern, and behind there is full ground to the lane.
For further particulars intended purchasers will please enquire at the house, which may be seen on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, betwixt eleven and three.

LODGING IN JAMES'S COURT.
To let or sell.
And entered to at Whitunday next.
THAT LODGING, east entry of James's Court, presently possessed by Mrs. Mollison, consisting of six good rooms, kitchen, and many other conveniences.
Apply to Mr. Robert Burt, apothecary, Lawnmarket.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC ROUP.
Within John's Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 23d January 1799, at six o'clock in the evening.
THAT LODGING in WEST REGISTER STREET, which belonged to, and was possessed by the late Mr. Robert Armstrong, plumber, being the first floor up stairs, consisting of six rooms, kitchen, and a number of cellars belonging thereto.
The house may be seen any day from twelve to three o'clock. John Rhind, writer, Hay Street, will show the title deeds and articles of roup.

HOUSE FOR SALE.
To be sold by public roup, in the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 30th January 1799, betwixt the hours of two and three o'clock in the afternoon.
THAT COMMODIOUS HOUSE and AREA in the Castlehill, lately possessed by Dr. Hamilton.
The house and privileges will be shewn on Tuesdays and Fridays, from twelve to three o'clock.
For particulars enquire at Mr. Hay, W.S. No. 4. North Castle Street.

HOUSE IN GEORGE STREET FOR SALE.
To be sold by public voluntary roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, on Wednesday the 30th day of January 1799, at two o'clock in the afternoon. **THE HOUSE**, No. 63, north side of George Street, lately possessed by Mrs. Cuthbert of Castlehill, with the coach-house, stables, back-ground, &c.
The house, which is elegant and spacious, consists of 17 fire rooms, and is well adapted for the accommodation of a large family. The furniture, which is new and in good order, will be sold by valuation; and for further particulars application may be made to Hector Macdonald Buchanan, writer to the signet, who has powers to conclude a private bargain.
Edinburgh 6th December 1798.

HOUSE IN FREDERICK STREET.
To be sold by public roup within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, the 31st of January 1799, between 2 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon, if not previously disposed of by private bargain.
THAT HOUSE, No. 18, North Frederick Street, being a first floor and sunk storey, consisting of 11 fire rooms, closets and wine cellar. There is a very convenient dressing closet, with a fire-place, adjoining to the principal bedroom, and off it is a shower-bath, to which water is conducted and carried away by leaden pipes.
Behind the house is a court and green, with washhouse, cellars, coach-house, and stable.
The premises may be seen every Tuesday and Thursday between 1 and 3 o'clock in the afternoon.
For further particulars, apply at the house, or to Mr. James Balfour, W.S. George Square.

HOUSES IN THISTLE COURT.
To be sold by public roup within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse in Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 30th day of Jan. 1799, betwixt the hours of two and four o'clock in the afternoon.
THE TWO HOUSES in THISTLE COURT possessed by Mrs. Mansfield and Mrs. Baillie.
They are well adapted for small families, very genteelly and commodiously laid out, and in a most central situation. Each house has a small piece of garden ground belonging to it, with a pump well in common, and water pipes may be brought into each of them at no great expense; and no houses of the same size are to be found in the New Town more eligibly situated.
They will be shewn by the tenants on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, betwixt twelve and two o'clock.
For particulars apply to Roger Aytoun, W.S. who has power to conclude a private bargain betwixt and the day of sale.

SALE OF SUBJECTS IN DUNKELD.
To be sold by roup, within the Duke's Arms Inn, Dunkeld, upon Saturday the 26th January 1799, between three and five o'clock in the afternoon.
THESE TWO LARGE BACK TENEMENTS, and Small House adjoining, with the Piece of Water Ground, all lying on the south side of the town of Dunkeld, opposite to the Cross, presently possessed by Mr. Gourly and others.
For particulars apply to John Fisher, writer in Dunkeld, or James Inches, merchant there.

HOUSES FOR SALE.
To be sold by roup, on Thursday the 31st January 1799, at six o'clock in the evening, in the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse.
1. **THAT HOUSE** in EAST REGISTER STREET, entering about one storey and a half up stairs, possessed by Mrs. Wilson, consisting of five rooms, kitchen, closets, and many conveniences, with a cellar and water-pipe. The house is of easy access, well aired, well lighted, and has a pleasant view to the west. It is presently rented at 36l. and may be seen any lawful day betwixt twelve and three o'clock.
2. **THAT DWELLING-HOUSE**, entering by itself, up the iron-railed stair in PATTERSON'S COURT, Lawnmarket, possessed by Mr. Hardie, consisting of three rooms and a kitchen, with two cellars, a garret, and many other conveniences—rented at 8l. 8s.
3. **THAT HOUSE** of Two Storeys, entering up a stair by itself, on the East Side of RIDDLE'S CLOSE, Lawnmarket, consisting of eight rooms and a kitchen, with two cellars, and many conveniences. It may be seen on any lawful day betwixt one and three o'clock.
4. **THAT HOUSE** in the New Land about the middle of Bell's Wynd, being the fourth and garret storeys, consisting of six apartments, with kitchen, cellar, and other conveniences.
5. **THAT HOUSE** in the Fifth Storey of the EASTMOST MEAL-MARKET STAIR, Cowgate, lately possessed by Mrs. Finlay, consisting of three rooms, a kitchen, &c.
6. **THAT DWELLING-HOUSE** in the COVENANT-CLOSE, in the fourth storey up the Scale Stair, consisting of four good rooms, two small rooms, with kitchen, closets, and cellar, &c. It is insured in the Edinburgh Friendly Insurance Office at 240cl. Scots, and the premium paid; draws annually 11. 6s. 8d. and will be sold either with or without the right of insurance, as purchasers incline. The key will be found in Mr. Hill's, bookseller, at the Cross.
7. **THAT HOUSE**, being the two uppermost Storeys and Garrets in Black's Land, RICHMOND STREET, which is the third east from Nicholson Street, each storey consisting of four rooms and a kitchen, with garrets and a cellar, possessed by Mr. Ross, and Mrs. Walker, rented together at 28l.
The title-deeds may be seen in the hands of Alexander Kincaid Tate, Royal Exchange, who may conclude a private bargain before the day of sale.

HOUSES IN THE WEST BOW.
To be peremptorily sold, by public roup, within John's Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 23d January 1799, at one o'clock in the afternoon.
THE REMAINING LOTS of the Heritable Property, situated on the east side of the West Bow of Edinburgh, which belonged to Hugh Mackay, cooper-smith there, viz.
Lot I. These TWO DWELLING-HOUSES, (being the storey in the tenement immediately above that possessed by Mr. Mackay.) possessed by Miss Rhind and James Main.—Rent 6l. 12s. 6d.
Lot II. The Dwelling-house, being the garret storey of the tenement, possessed by John Gann and Francis Webster, rent 4l. 10s.
Lot III. The Dwelling-house on the storey above the shops, and entering from the south turnpike in the tenement, possessed by William Nicholson, rent 3l. 10s.
Lot IV. The Dwelling-house in the storey immediately above the one last mentioned, possessed by M. Simpson, rent 6l. 6s.
The Title-deeds are in the hands of R. Dick, writer in Edinburgh; from whom, or Mr. W. Anderson, merchant, West Bow, Trustee on Mr. McKay's sequestrated estate, further particulars may be learned.

VILLA AT LAURESTON, NEAR EDINBURGH,
AND SUBJECTS IN THE CITY OF EDINBURGH.
On Tuesday the 22d day of January 1799, between the hours of six and seven in the evening, will be exposed to public sale, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, **THE SEVERAL SUBJECTS** aftermentioned.

Lot I.—That commodious DWELLING-HOUSE, with a coach-house, stable and other offices, a kitchen and flower garden, with green-house and hot-house, and a park containing three acres and thirty-two poles of ground, English measure, all lately possessed by the now deceased Mrs. Scotland.
These premises are within ten minutes Walk of the Cross of Edinburgh, and may answer for both a town and a country residence. They are particularly adapted for a family, having an easy communication with the College and High School. There is an entry from the park to the Meadow.
Lot II.—That large TENEMENT of Land, at the foot of the West Bow, Edinburgh, called RENNIE'S LAND, consisting of two shops on the ground floor, the one possessed by Mr. James Hunter, baker, and the other by William Ross, cooper-smith, and four stories above the same, possessed by Mr. Hunter and Mess. James Marshall, writer, Robert Anderson, and Duncan Forbes, merchants, with a stable, cellar, and other premises belonging thereto; the present yearly rents of the whole amounting to 60l. Sterling.
Lot III.—That SHOP and CELLAR in Bull's Land, on the north side of the High Street, Edinburgh, nearly opposite to the Tron Church, presently possessed by Mess. Trotter, Maxton, and Co. grocers. The subjects in this lot were let for nine years after Whitunday 1794, at the yearly rent of 42l. but have been since sublet to the present possessors for a rent considerably higher. These premises are insured with the Edinburgh Friendly Insurance Company on the old plan, and the premium paid up, in consequence of which the proprietor has for some years past drawn a dividend of 1l. 8s. Sterling yearly. The dividend in future, whatever it may be, will of course belong to the purchaser.
Lot IV.—That SHOP at the head of the West Bow, Edinburgh, lately possessed by Mr. Samuel Sommerville, baker, and now by Elizabeth Gray, at the yearly rent of 8l. Sterling. The articles of sale, and title deeds of the above subjects, may be seen in the hands of Alexander Duncan or Thomas Scotland, writers to the signet, to either of whom intending purchasers may apply, betwixt and the day of sale.

SALE OF HOUSE AND GARDEN IN MUSSELBURGH.
To be sold by private bargain, betwixt and the 25th instant, and entered to at Whitunday next.
THAT HOUSE and GARDEN in Musselburgh, with the pertinents, sometime the property of the late Mr. William Scot banker in Edinburgh, presently possessed by Mr. John Taylor, of the Musselburgh Academy.
The title-deeds are in the possession of Alexander Wood, W.S. St. Andrew's Square, who has power to conclude a bargain.

SALE OF LANDS IN RENFREWSHIRE.
To be sold by public roup, upon Wednesday the 6th day of March next 1799, within the Tontine Tavern, Glasgow, betwixt the hours of one and three o'clock in the afternoon.
THE FOLLOWING LANDS, TENEMENTS and others, lying in the parish and village of Kilbarchan, which belonged to the deceased John Barbour, and now to William Barbour, merchant in Kilbarchan, his son and heir:—
The Lands and Estate of EASTER and WESTER LAMARNOCKS, LAW, HAIRLAW, FORHOUSE, and GATESIDE, confining of about 250 acres, with the tennds of the same, and sundry tenements in Kilbarchan. There is a manor-house and offices on the lands of Forhouse, near Kilbarchan, with a quantity of fine thriving planting.
The lands will either be exposed in one lot or separately, as purchasers may incline. And, for further information application may be made to the said William Barbour, merchant in Kilbarchan, or to Robert Graham, writer in Glasgow.

FARM IN FIFEHIRE TO LET.
To be let till the term of Martinmas, in the year 1814.
THE FARM of EASTER BALGAVIE, situated in the parishes of Monymuel, and Cupar.
This farm consists of about 134 acres of excellent land, in good condition.
There is a remarkable good steading of Houses on it, all put lately in complete repair, with a Threshing Machine, and every other accommodation for carrying on farming operations to the best advantage, which a tenant can possibly wish.
It is situated within less than a mile of the county town where there is a regular corn market held once a-week, and within a few miles of the ports of Newburgh and Balmerino, where victual is daily shipped.
Offers in writing may be sent to Edward Bruce, clerk to the signet, Edinburgh, betwixt and the term of Candlemas next, and those that are not accepted of, will be concealed if required. David Birrell, the present tenant, will shew the farm.

FARM AND BLEACHFIELD IN FIFE TO LET.
LAVEROCK-KNOW, in the parish of Auchterderran, containing about 40 acres Scots measure, with the Houses and Pertinents thereto belonging, lying four miles north from Kirkcaldy, in the immediate vicinity of Clunie colliery.
The BLEACHFIELD upon these lands is very advantageously situated, and may be easily extended.
Access may be had to the whole premises, either immediately or at Candlemas next 1799.
For further particulars application may be made to Mr. John Anderson, Clunie colliery, or to the proprietor at Raith.
N.B.—The incoming tenant may have some Boilers and other Implements for bleaching, presently on the property, by appraisement.

FARMS IN THE PARISH OF LOGIE, AND COUNTIES OF STIRLING AND PERTH.
To be let—AND SALE OF
FIR TREES, PEALING STOBS, & RAFTERS.
1. **TO BE LET**, for Nineteen Years from Martinmas 1799, the Farm of FOSSAKEY, CADGER-KNOWS, and BROOMHILL, of AIRTHREY, as presently possessed by John and James Roys, and consisting of 532 Scots acres, being the westmost farm of the Ochill-hills, and running along the Sheriffmuir road by Pathfoot, a situation most desirable for dealers in black cattle and sheep.
2. **THE MUIR** of PENDRIFECH, all inclosed, and consisting of 223 Scots acres, lying on the west side of Sheriffmuir road, to be let for such number of years as may be agreed on, and entered to immediately.
3. **THOSE TWO LARGE PARKS** of the Lands of PENDRIFECH called PARSONLEYS, of about 90 acres, and LONGLEYS, of about 76 acres Scots measure, adjoining to the foresaid Sheriffmuir road, to be set together or separately, for such number of years as may be agreed on, and entered to immediately.
Offers will be received by John Burn, writer in Stirling, who has powers to conclude bargains; and John Stewart, over-seer at Airthrey Castle, will shew the lands to any person applying to him.
4. **Intimation** is likewise given, That a Sale of PEALING STOBS, and RAFTERS for inclosing; also, of FIR TREES, is commenced in the Plantations of Airthrey Estate, under the charge of William Miller, to whom any person wanting such articles may apply, at Blackhill or Broomhill Plantations, every lawful day from nine to twelve forenoon. Strangers may call for the foresaid John Stewart, or William Guild at Airthrey, who will point out the road to the plantation at which sales are making at the time.

UPPER PRICE REDUCED.
TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC ROUP.
Within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, on Wednesday the 30th day of January 1799, between the hours of two and three o'clock in the afternoon.
THE LANDS of DRUMCROSSHALL, with the Tennds thereof, lying in the parish of Bathgate and shire of Linlithgow.
These lands consist of 201 acres, mostly arable, and are let at present, including kaim, &c. at 140l. The tenant pays all the public burdens.
The tenant is besides bound to inclose the whole lands with planting, which, at the end of the lease, must be of very considerable value.
The lands hold of the Crown, and with the superiority of other lands, which are sold with them, afford a freehold qualification in the county.
It is understood that there is coal in the property, and the intended canal will run in the immediate vicinity.
Apply to James Gibson, W.S. who has power to conclude a private bargain.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION.
Within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Monday the 18th of February next, between the hours of one and three o'clock in the afternoon.
THE LANDS and ESTATES of FAIRBURN, MONAR, and STRATHCONON, lying in the parishes of Urray, Contin, and Fodderty, and county of Ross. The lands will be sold in whole or in such lots as may seem most likely to accommodate offerers. If exposed in lots, the following is suggested as the most convenient division.
Lot I. The GRASING of MONAR, which is at present out of lease, being in the possession of tenants from year to year; of course it would afford a much higher rent on a lease, than these tenants pay.
Lot II. The COUNTRY of STRATHCONON, with the LANDS of CORRIFOIL annexed thereto. This tract of country is at present possessed as a black cattle grazing, but is well adapted for sheep pasture, and if let as such, would yield a very considerable increase of rent. The leases of this property expire at Whitunday 1803.
Lot III. The ESTATE of FAIRBURN, with the Salmon Fishings on the rivers Conon and Orran. This estate lies in the low part of the county of Ross, is very extensive and highly improvable. The Salmon Fishings are let from year to year. The farms of Kichragan and Arrady are under a lease which expires at Whitunday 1812, and the rest of the property under lease at Whitunday 1802.
The title deeds are in the hands of Messrs. Alexander and Colin Mackenzie, W.S. Edinburgh, who will furnish a rental of the estate, and any other information that may be required—and they are authorised to receive proposals for a sale by private bargain, at any time before the day of sale, and the lands themselves may be seen by applying to Mr. Kenneth Mackenzie at Millbank near Dingwall, the factor on the estate.

SALE OF LANDS IN ARGYLSHIRE.
ESTATE OF CRAIGNISH.
To be sold by public voluntary roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 30th January 1799, at two o'clock in the afternoon, in one or two lots, as intending purchasers may incline.
THE ESTATE of CRAIGNISH, lying in the parish of Craignish, consisting of between 1800 and 1900 acres chiefly arable and green pasture, conform to survey and plan. If exposed in Lots, the Lands, &c. will be divided as follows:
Lot I.—FARMS of BARRACKAN, AUCHINARNISH, and GARTCHURRAN, presently rented about 350l. Sterling, besides the help of the shores, which are productive.
Lot II.—THE FARM of PENNYCASTLE with the Islands—the Farm of AIRD, with the Public-house, Ferry, and Islands—the Farm of KIRKTON, with the Island Bouie, and the Pendicle of Dunvilly, all presently rented about 275l. Sterling, besides the help.
The lands are held of a subject superior for payment of about 15l. few-duty, except the lands of Kirkton, which hold of the Crown.
For soil and situation, this estate possesses many superior advantages, being situated upon the west coast immediately opposite, and within three miles of the west entry of the Crinan Canal. The mansion-house (to which there is an excellent carriage road from Inverary) is sufficient for the accommodation of a large family, and a complete court of offices was built some years ago.
On the farm of Pennycastle, which is subdivided and inclosed, there is a good deal of thriving planting. This makes a beautiful summer residence, the country around affording great amusement in fishing and shooting, and the Castle of Craignish commands a delightful and picturesque view of the Sound of Jura, and the adjacent Hebrides.
The title deeds, plan, and rental, will be seen by applying to Mr. Keay, accountant, George Street; or Mr. James Campbell, W.S. Argyle Square, either of whom is empowered to treat by private bargain. The ground officer will shew the premises.

BY ADJOURNMENT.
JUDICIAL SALE OF LANDS IN ARGYLSHIRE.
THE REMAINING LOTS on the ESTATE of DUNSTAFNAGE are to be exposed to sale, by auction, within the Session-house, Edinburgh, by authority of the Lords of Council and Session, upon Wednesday the 6th day of February 1799, between the hours of five and seven o'clock in the afternoon.
Lot I. **THE LANDS** of KILCHARAN and BALLUIR, lying in the island of Lefmore.
There is no heritable right to the teinds, but they appear to have been valued by the Sub-Commissioners of the Prebtery of Argyll, at four bolls of bear and five bolls of malt paragon teinds, and two pounds Scots of vealage.
The lands hold feu of Mr. Campbell of Lochmell, for the yearly payment of L. 8: 13: 4d. Scots, or 14s. 4d. 12ths Sterling.
The free rent, after deduction of the valued teind and other burdens, is L. 132: 6: 7: 8-12ths Sterling, and the upset price is L. 3707: 5: 8-12ths Sterling.
Lot II. **THE LANDS** of SONOCHAN, lying in the united parishes of Kilmore and Kilbride, in Lorne.
There is an heritable right to three-fourths of the teinds of these lands, the other fourth is Bishops Teinds.
The lands hold feu of the Duke of Argyll for payment of four merks yearly.
The free rent, after the deduction of the Bishop fourth of the teinds, and other public burdens, is L. 39: 6: 10-12ths Sterling, and the upset price is 1101: 1: 1-12ths Sterling.
Lot III. (formerly Lot 4th)—**THE LANDS** of SOUTH and NORTH ARDCHONNELL, with the Waik Mill thereof, ARDCHONNELLALTRICH, with the Mill thereof, BAR-RANCHALTYNE and BARRANKEICH, lying in the united parishes of Kilmore and Kilbride, in Lorne.
The lands hold feu of the Duke of Argyll, for the yearly payment of L. 1: 15: 8-12ths Sterling, including the usual converted price of meal and barley.
The free rent, after deduction of the Bishop fourth of the teinds and other burdens, is L. 269: 7: 7-12ths Sterling, and the upset price is L. 7542: 13: 6-12ths Sterling.
Lot IV. (formerly Lot 5th)—**THE LANDS** of UPPER AUCHAVAICH, lying in the united parishes of Kilmore and Kilbride, in Lorne.
There is an heritable right to three-fourths of the teinds, the other fourth is Bishop teinds.
The lands hold feu of the Duke of Argyll, for payment of L. 1: 5: 9-12th Sterling.
The free rent, after deduction of the Bishop fourth of the teinds and other burdens is L. 53: 15: 11-12ths Sterling, and the upset price is L. 1506: 6: 3-12ths Sterling.
Lot V. (formerly Lot 6th)—**THE LANDS** of DUNSTAFNAGE, BALLUIR, DUNBEG (with the pertinent of TAYNAHULARICH), PENNYFOUR, Upper & Lower GLENCRUTTEN, GLENCRUTTEN, GLENCRUTTEN, GLENCRUTTEN, AUCHAVAICH, and FEU-DUTIES arising from grounds fued out at Oban, all lying in the said parish of Kilmore and Kilbride.
There is an heritable right to 3-4ths of the teinds of the whole lands in this lot (except Upper and Lower Glencrutten, which are entirely Bishop teinds), remaining fourth is Bishop teinds.
The lands in this lot hold feu of the Duke of Argyll, for payment of L. 16: 12: 2 Sterling, including the price of meal and barley.
The free rent, after deduction of 1-10th of the rent of the lands of Upper and Lower Glencrutten, for teind (exclusive of the feus in Oban), being wholly Bishop teinds, and the Bishop fourth of the remaining lands and other burdens, is L. 401: 6: 5-12ths Sterling, and the amount of the feu-duties is L. 11: 10: 6-12ths Sterling, and of the feu-duties L. 224: 13: 6-12ths Sterling, making together L. 11,461: 14: 1-8-12ths Sterling.
The plan of the estate, and articles of roup, are to be seen in the office of Mr. Jeffrey, deputy clerk of session, and in the hands of James Farrier, W.S. agent in the sale.

SALE OF THE LANDS OF SAUCHRIE.
In the County of Ayr.
THE LANDS and ESTATE of SAUCHRIE, lying in the parish of Maybole, and shire of Ayr, are to be exposed to public roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 31st day of January 1799, betwixt the hours of two and three o'clock in the afternoon, at the reduced upset price of L. 18000.

This estate is of considerable extent, and the present yearly rent, including that part which is in the proprietor's natural possession, is about 250l. It contains at least 40 acres of natural wood and thriving plantations, of different ages, and considerable value. The mansion-house is delightfully situated, and will accommodate a genteel family. There are admirable offices, and two Gardens. About 60 acres of valuable land surrounding the house, are in the possession of the proprietor, to which a purchaser may enter immediately on a sale taking place.
The situation of Sauchrie, being only six miles distant from the county town of Ayr, and three miles from the market town of Maybole, renders it extremely commodious for the residence of a Gentleman's family, and a more desirable purchase is seldom to be found.
The title-deeds and leases, with the articles of sale, may be seen in the hands of Alexander Young, writer to the signet; and any person enquiring at the mansion-house of Sauchrie will be shewn the house and grounds.
Mr. Thomas McClelland, writer in Ayr, will likewise furnish every necessary information to those enquiring at him, and will give orders for shewing the house and grounds.

LANDS IN NIGG TO BE SOLD.
There are to be sold by Private Bargain, jointly or separately, **THE FARMS** of MIDDLETOWN and TULLOS, lying in the parish of Nigg and county of Kinross.
Each of these farms contains betwixt 60 and 70 acres arable land, and a considerable quantity of mair ground.
They lie in the pleasant and fertile vale of Nigg, and have mostly a fourth exposure.
The soil is rich, fertile, and early, and great part of the arable land is inclosed, has been limed, and is in a high state of cultivation; they have abundance of mair annexed to them, and the fields are for the most part well watered.
They lie near to the kirk and school, and within half a mile of the harbour of Torrie, at which time is imported; have an immense privilege of sea-ware; and at Torrie fishers dung for manure may be had. They afford excellent situations for building country-houses, and are not two miles distant from Aberdeen.
They are free from all thirlage, and held free from the toll, minister's stipend, and schoolmaster's salary. The tenants may have advantageous employment for their horses at all seasons, when they can be spared from the work of the farms, at Torrie pier, Mr. Morice's quarries at Altners, and in the neighbourhood; and from the outlayers and other circumstances, there is great reason to expect that, by digging, abundant quantities of granite fit for the London market may be found in these farms themselves, at a short distance from Torrie pier.
On Middletown there is a substantial farm house and mill of offices, and two good gardens, and a considerable part of the mill south from it is planted with fir, larch, birch, oak, and other trees, which are thriving extremely well; and on this farm there is a good situation for a threshing-mill and meal-mill, with a sufficient command of water for driving them.
On Tullous there is a very handsome modern house of three stories, some offices, a garden, and bleaching-works, and some of the knolls behind the house are planted.
Middletown and Tullous may be easily divided into five lots, and, if the whole do not sell together, any one of these lots may be had separately. Part of both farms are in the proprietor's own possession, and may be entered to or set off immediately.
If a greater extent of ground is wished for, from 300 to 400 acres more adjoining may be had.
For further particulars apply to David Morice, advocate in Aberdeen, or Robert Morice, advocate there, or Mr. Thomas Gledhill, writer to the signet, Edinburgh.

JUDICIAL SALE OF LANDS IN THE COUNTY OF STIRLING.
To be sold, by adjournment, by authority of the Court of Session, within the Parliament or New Session House of Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 13th day of February next 1799, between the hours of five and seven o'clock in the afternoon.
THE ESTATE of MURAVONISIDE, which comprehends the Lands of BOWHOUSES, and part of the Lands of COMPTON, situated within the parish of Murrawood.
The lands are capable of great improvement; and there is a seam of excellent coal, which, at a trifling expense, may be wrought to very great advantage. The estate affords two freehold qualifications, and lies at the distance of two or three miles from Linlithgow. The mansion-house, with the orchard, and planting, (which is extensive, and in a very thriving state) is pleasantly situated on the banks of the water of Avon, and justly reckoned one of the most romantic beautiful situations in Scotland. The farms are mostly out of lease. The lands lie contiguous, and there is a quantity of growing wood now fit for use, which may be sold at a considerable price.
From the Memorial and Abstract it appears the estate is divided into the following Parcels:

I.—**THE LANDS** and BARONY of MURAVONISIDE, comprehending the Mansion-house and Mill of Murrawood, the free rent of which at present is 277l. 8s. 6d. 2-12ths; but the lands are mostly out of lease, it was therefore thought proper to prove what rent they would bring upon a nineteen years lease; and it appears, from the testimony of two witnesses, who have known the estate for many years, that the lands comprehended in this parcel, upon a Nineteen years lease, might yield 2,661. 18s. 6d. 8-12ths Sterling, the upset price is, as affording a freehold qualification, is 7450l. 10s. 4-12ths. The lands are held blench of the Crown, and the proprietor has right to the teinds.
II.—**THE LANDS** of WESTER and MIDDLE BOWHOUSES, &c. The proven free rent of these lands, which are out of lease, is 311. 12s. 8d. but upon a nineteen years lease, they might bring 451. Sterling. It does not appear that the proprietor has right to the teinds, so that a 5th part of the rent will fall to be deducted on that account; and the upset price, after such deduction, is 1044l. Sterling. The lands are held blench of a subject superior.
III.—**THE LANDS** of CAMPTON. The present rent is 115l. 10s. but on a nineteen years lease, they would be worth 911. 3s. 6d. Sterling. These lands are held feu of another superior for payment of 100s. Sterling yearly. The proprietor has right to the teinds of part of the lands;—it does not appear he has to those of the farms of Newhouse, East and Wester Draffins; but the teinds of these farms are valued, as instructed by a decree of valuation in 1771. The upset price of this parcel is 2644l. 1s. 6d. Sterling. The reason of the present rent of this parcel being higher than what would be got if the lands were on a 19 years lease is, that they were let formerly for pasture, but lately for tillage.
IV.—**SUPERIORITIES** and FEU-DUTIES of the Lands of REDFORD, and Part of CANDIEHEAD. The annual value of these feu-duties is 2l. 2s. 2d. 4-12ths Sterling. They are classed with the above lands, in order to make up a Freehold Qualification, and the upset price is 321. 14s. 10-12ths Sterling.

V.—**WOOD** growing upon the Lands of MURAVONISIDE, BOWHOUSES, and COMPTON.—The value of the wood under sale, is proved to be 1937l. 11s. 6d. Sterling.
VI.—**THE COAL** in the Lands of BOWHOUSES.—The Coal is not wrought at present owing to the level being choked up, but which might be set agoing at little expense; and it is proved, that after deducting that expense, this Coal would upon a 19 years lease, might bring 400l. Sterling, which is therefore fixed on as the upset price of this lot.
VII.—**SUPERIORITIES** and FEU-DUTIES of COXHILL. These Superiorities are classed separately, as they make a Freehold Qualification. The feu-duties payable out of these lands are 5l. 13s. 4d. 5-12ths Sterling yearly, and the upset price, as affording a Freehold Qualification, is 341. 14s. 10-12ths Sterling. The composition for an entry of Successors is not taxed.

The articles of roup, and a plan of the estate, with copies of the Memorial and Abstract, will be seen in the office of Mr. Jeffrey, Deputy-Clerk of Session, and in the hands of Mr. Keay, accountant, or Hector Macdonald Buchanan, writer to the signet, to whom intending purchasers may apply for further information.
Alex. Meason, gardener at Linlithgow, will shew the estate.
N.B. Since the Sale was advertised, an application has been made to the Court of Session for authority to sell the lands in lots; in consequence of which the estate will be sold in lots. The first, composing the six first parcels, and the second, the seventh parcel, being the Superiorities and feu-duties of Coxhill, &c. so that any intending purchaser has an opportunity of purchasing a freehold qualification, and the feu-duties, at an easy rate, while at the same time the purchaser of the first lot will have right to a vote.

To be sold by public roup, within the Duke's Arms Inn, Dunkeld, upon Saturday the 26th January 1799, between three and five o'clock in the afternoon.
THESE TWO LARGE BACK TENEMENTS, and Small House adjoining, with the Piece of Water Ground, all lying on the south side of the town of Dunkeld, opposite to the Cross, presently possessed by Mr. Gourly and others.
For particulars apply to John Fisher, writer in Dunkeld, or James Inches, merchant there.